

ABSTRACT

A receiving control device has
keyword input means of inputting a keyword,
retrieval means of obtaining program information of a
program relating to the input keyword,
user channel matching means of matching the obtained
program information with a predetermined user channel
number,
direction input means of receiving directions from a
user, and
control means of controlling a video receiver,
wherein
when a direction is received from the direction input
means, the control means obtains the broadcast channel
number of a program being broadcast at present on the
predetermined user channel number and informs the video
receiver of the broadcast channel number.